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Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, because this application was filed on 07 July 2003, almost four months ago, applicant hereby urgently requests that the Patent And Trademark Office advise applicant's undersigned attorney as to the status of the application.

Favorable and prompt consideration is respectfully requested. An extra copy of this Status Inquiry is attached hereto.

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